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CONTINUATION-IN-PART PATENT APPLICATION

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed for filing pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.10 are the following papers in connection with the above-identified patent application:

- 1. Complete patent application, including 23 pages of the specification, 5 pages of claims, 1-page abstract;
- 2. Twenty-five (25) sheets of drawings, including Figures 1 through 25 as described in the specification;
- 3. Request for Non-Publication;
- 4. Return postcard.

The present application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. application serial no. 10/040,282, filed October 19, 2001, which, in turn, claims the benefit of U.S. provisional application serial number 60/241,639, filed October 19, 2000.

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 CFR 1.53(b), this application is being filed with the necessary application, claims, and drawings. Please place this application on file upon receipt with a filing date of September 15, 2003.

Respectfully Submitted,

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REQUEST FOR NON-PUBLICATION

Dear Sir:

Applicant requests that the above-noted application not be published under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b). The invention disclosed in the above-noted application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

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